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INSTALLATION WITH MULTIPLE	)
CARS	)

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Pursuant to Sections 1.97 and 1.98 of Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations, record is hereby made of published prior art which the United States Patent and Trademark Office may wish to consider during examination of the above-entitled application. No representation is made or intended that a prior art search was conducted, or that no better art than that listed is available.

U.S. Patent Documents - No., Date, Name

5,861,587      Jan. 19, 1999    Powell et al.

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07 309539 Nov. 28, 1995 Japan  
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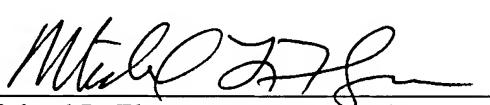
The U.S. Patent No. 5,861,587, and the 10 194610 and 3 073 650 Japanese references were cited in a Search and Examination Report performed by the Austrian Patent Office for a patent application in Singapore that claims priority to the same European application as the present case. A copy of the Report is enclosed.

The 07 309539 and the 10 194610 Japanese references were cited in a European Standard Search Report with respect to a European application that claims priority to the same European application as the present case. A copy of the Report is enclosed. The 07 309539 and the 10 194610 Japanese references were previously cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on February 3, 2004 and, therefore, no copy is provided.

This Supplmental Information Disclosure Statement, which is being filed before the mailing of a first Office action on the merits.

A copy of the 3 073 650 Japanese reference and a Form PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith. It is requested that each of the references be fully considered and made of record in this case.

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